

Unit 13

	Term	Possible meaning	Example
A			
1	assess	להעריך	We need to assess whether the system is working.
2	assimilate	להיטמע	There was a lot of information to assimilate at school.
3	associate	שותף	I no longer wish to be associated with people like him.
4	assume	להניח	They assume from his expression that he is confused.
B			
5	broad	רחב	She has a broad view of things.
6	budget	לתכנן, לתקצב	They don't want to cut anything out of the budget .
7	bulb	נורה	Who can tell me how a light bulb works?
C			
8	contaminate	לזהם, לטמא	These infections were caused by contaminated milk.
9	contemporary	בן זמנו, בן דורו	Bach and Handel were contemporaries .
10	contend	נאבק, טען התמודד, התווכח	He contends that nuclear weapons are necessary for national defense.
11	content	תכולה, תוכן, מרוצה, מסתפק	I'm quite content with my life.
12	contentious	מעורר מחלוקת, וכחני	The only contentious part of this contract is the last paragraph.
13	contentment	שביעות רצון, סיפוק	He answered with some smug contentment .
14	contest	תחרות, התמודדות	We will have a music contest soon.
15	context	הקשר	This can help in defining the context of your search.
16	continent	יבשת	Australia is the smallest continent in the world.
17	continual	בלתי פוסק, חוזר ונשנה, מתמשך	She lives in continual pain as a result of the accident.



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18	contort	לעוות, לעקם, להתעוות	The boy contorted his body to squeeze through the gate.
19	contract	חוזה, להתכווץ, להצטמצם	I have to check and see what the contract says.
20	contract	להתכווץ, להצטמצם	Metals contract as they cool.
21	contradict	לסתור, להתווכח	He contradicted himself several times in his testimony.
22	contrary	מנוגד, הפוך	He's not lazy. On the contrary , I think he's a hard worker.
23	contrast	ניגוד, הנגדה, השוואה	He looked quite happy in contrast with those around him.
24	contribution	תרומה	I just wish I could contribute more money.
25	control	שליטה, לשלוט, לפקח	I couldn't control my anger.
26	convene	לכנס, להתכנס	The meeting will convene Tuesday at 10: 00 a.m.
27	convenient	נוח, מתאים	Our house is conveniently located.
D			
28	dissimilar	שונה, לא דומה	The two of them are so dissimilar you would never guess they are brothers.
29	dissociate	להתנער מ-, להפריד, לנתק	Will they dissociate themselves from the architect of their own policies?
30	distance	מרחק	He is used to walking long distances .
31	distill	לזקק	This will then distil at a constant temperature.
32	distinct	ניכר, ברור, מובהק, שונה, נבדל מ-	She has a distinct English accent.
33	distinctive	אופייני, ייחודי	Each has done so in his own distinctive style.
34	distinguish	להבחין, להבדיל	It's easy to distinguish well from evil.
35	distort	לעוות, לעקם	It's a gross distortion of the truth.
36	distraction	הפרעה, הסחה	The noise distracted him from studying.
37	distress	כאב, סבל, צער, מצוקה	The ship flashed a distress signal.



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38	distribute	לחלק, להפיץ, לפזר	The teacher distributed the question papers.
39	district	מחוז, רובע, חבל ארץ	The city is divided into ten administrative districts .
E			
40	exaggerate	להגזים	You have a habit of exaggerating everything.
41	examine	לבדוק, לבחון, לחקור	You'd better examine the contract carefully before signing.
42	exceed	לחרוג מ-, לעלות על	Your car exceeded the speed limit.
43	excel	להצטיין ב, לעלות על עצמו	He excelled in music even as a child.
44	except	מלבד, פרט ל-, חוץ מ-	I work every day except Saturday.
45	exception	יוצא מן הכלל	There are no exceptions to this rule.
46	excess	עודף, יתר, מעל ל-	The load of the truck was in excess of three tons.
47	exchange	חילופי, בתמורה ל-	If it's possible, I'd like to exchange this for a larger size.
48	excite	לרגש, להלהיב, להסעיר	All of us were excited with the result of the experiment.
49	exclaim	לקרוא, לצעוק	"I found it!" She exclaimed as soon as I answered her call.
50	exclude	לא לכלול, להוציא	They decided to exclude him from their circle.
51	exclusive	בלעדי, יוקרתי	The President has granted an exclusive interview to the reporter.
52	excuse	תירוץ, סיבה, לסלוח	I don't want to hear any excuses .
53	execute	להוציא להורג, להוציא לפועל	He asked his brother to execute his will.
54	executive	מנהל, ביצועי, ניהולי	She got kicked upstairs to an executive position.
55	exercise	תרגיל, התעמלות	Exercise is the best way to get rid of stress.
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56	force	עוצמה, כוח, להכריח, לאלץ	I can't force you to testify.
57	foreign	זר, חוץ	Can foreign students be in the club?
58	forged	לזייף, ליצור, להתקדם	I know you forged father's signature.
59	fork	מזלג	They eat with a knife and fork .
60	formula	נוסחה	The chemical formula for water is H ₂ O.
61	fortify	לבצר	He builds a fortified steel bunker.
G			
62	gradual	הדרגתי	Prices have been gradually rising in recent years.
63	grasp	לאחוז ביד, לתפוס, להבין, אחיזה	The problem is beyond my grasp .
64	grief	צער עמוק, יגון, אבל	She tried to conceal her grief at the party.
H			
65	homage	מחווה של כבוד, לחלוק כבוד	The new statue on campus will pay homage to the victims of the Holocaust.
66	homicide	רצח, מקרה רצח	Omer is a suspect in a homicide investigation.
67	honest	ישר, הגון	I am sure that he is an honest man.
I			
68	intimate	קרוב, אינטימי, אישי	The intimate moment was gone, replaced by the tension that always filled the space between them.
69	intolerable	בלתי נסבל	Dusk took away much of the intolerable heat, and a stiff breeze dried her sweat.
70	intricate	מורכב, מסובך	The article on France must be consulted for the intricate events of the following years.
71	introvert	מופנם	I've always loved the freedom that comes from being introverted .
J			
72	juice	מיץ	He wasn't allowed to drink the juice he liked anymore.



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73	jumble	ערבוביה	She stared at the door, a confused jumble of emotions burning her eyes.
K			
74	kitchen	מטבח	We have breakfast in the kitchen .
75	kite	עפיפון	Flying a kite can be dangerous.
L			
76	lock	לנעול, להינעל	They forgot to lock the door.
77	lodge	בקתה, להתאכסן, להגיש תלונה	I would lodge a complaint.
78	logic	הגיון	Her logic and her sympathy are in excellent balance.
79	lonely	בודד, גלמוד	I get lonely out there all by myself.
80	loop	לולאה, לעשות לולאה	She turned and captured his neck in the loop of her arms.
81	loose	חופשי, לא קשור, פזור, רופף	The dog got loose and ran out of the yard.
M			
82	modest	עניו, צנוע	You can get good food for a modest sum at the restaurant.
83	modify	לשנות, לתקן, לשפר	You'll have to modify the height of the table to make it fit.
84	moisture	לחות, רטיבות	He wiped moisture from his eyes.
85	mole	חפרפרת, מרגל	I believe there is a mole .
86	mollify	להרגיע, לפייס, לשכך	I am hoping for the hot tea and crackers will mollify my husband and help him relax.
87	monitor	צג, מסך, מוניטור, לעקוב אחרי	The baby monitor crackled to life with a sharp cry.
88	monotony	חדגוניות	I was bored with the monotony of daily life.
N			
89	nuance	הבדל דק, ניואנס	There are many nuances in the text of the scriptures.
90	nuclear	גרעיני	The question is how to avoid nuclear war.



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91	ostensible	מוצהר, לכאורה, כביכול	This new archaeological discovery is an ostensible source of hundreds of valuable artifacts.
92	ostracize	להחרים, לנדות	Only a cruel teacher would ostracize a special needs student.
93	otherwise	אחרת, חוץ מזה	The food wasn't very delicious, but otherwise the party was a success.
94	ought to	צריך, חייב, רצוי -ש	They ought to be here right now!
P			
95	priority	עדיפות, קדימות	Spending time with your family should be your priority .
96	prison	כלא, בית סוהר, שבי	No one ever escaped from this prison .
97	private	פרטי	I'd like to tell you something in private .
98	privation	מחסור	In India many people are living with privation of food.
99	privilege	זכות, הטבה, כבוד	We were granted the privilege of fishing in this bay.
100	prize	פרס	I never dreamed that I would win first prize .
101	probable	קרוב לוודאי, סביר	It is probable that she will come tomorrow.
102	probation	תקופת מבחן	Jamie is on probation for two years.
103	probe	לחקור, לחטט, לבדוק, לבחון	The newspapers are now probing into the President's past.
104	proceed	להמשיך, להתקדם	He proceeded to the next question.
105	process	תהליך	Let's see if we can speed up the process a little.
106	proclaim	להכריז על	The day was proclaimed a national holiday.
R			
107	rock	סלע, לנענע, לנדנד	He rocked the baby in his arms to get her to sleep.
108	roll	לגלגל, להתגלגל	Don't leave the car in neutral when you park, or it could roll down the hill.
109	roof	גג, תקרה	The roof of the old barn collapsed.



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110	root	שורש, לחטט, לנבור	Carrots and turnips are edible roots .
111	rope	חבל, לקשור	We need some rope to tie up the boat with.
S			
112	shred	חתיכה, רסיס, שמץ	His clothes were torn to shreds by the rose bushes.
113	shriek	לצווח, לצרוח	The children were shrieking with laughter.
114	shrink	להתכווץ, לכווץ, להקטין	My dress shrank in the wash
115	similar	דומה ל-, כמעט זהה, זהים	Your handwriting is very similar to mine.
116	smuggle	להבריח, להגניב	The drugs had been smuggled through customs.
T			
117	toward/ towards	אל, בכיוון, לקראת, לעבר	The last time I saw Tom he was headed toward the beach.
118	toxic	רעיל	The cost of cleaning up toxic waste should be paid by the companies that are responsible for the pollution.
119	trail	שובל, סימנים, עקבות, לגרור, לסחוב, להיגרר	The tornado left a trail of destruction in its wake.
120	transform	לשנות, להפוך ל-	Your body transforms calories into energy.
U			
121	unique	יחיד במינו, ייחודי	These flowers have a unique smell.
122	unleash	לשחרר, לשלח, לפרוק, לעורר	The government's proposals unleashed a storm of protest in the press.
V			
123	ventilate	לאוורר	There is a lack of window space, and the roof is imperfectly ventilated .
124	verdict	פסק דין, החלטה, דעה	The verdict is given by a simple majority.



125 **zoom**

להתמקד מקרוב The camera **zoomed** in on the actor's face.



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Unit 13 – practice**A. Sentence completion basic level**

1. The workers were _____ in temporary camps.

- (1) loop
 - (2) lodged
 - (3) velvet
 - (4) evoked
-

2. The jury quickly agreed on a _____ of not guilty.

- (1) foreign
 - (2) polish
 - (3) password
 - (4) verdict
-

3. They _____ the whiskey from malted barley.

- (1) distill
 - (2) endanger
 - (3) faith
 - (4) flea
-

4. Be careful not to allow bacteria to _____ the wound.

- (1) axe
 - (2) prove
 - (3) mortgage
 - (4) contaminate
-

5. He protests the use for controversial pamphlets which _____ the truth.

- (1) mortal
- (2) distort
- (3) roam
- (4) revenge



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6. Because she is a chef, she notices every _____ of flavor in the meal.
- (1) nuclear
 - (2) noxious
 - (3) nuance
 - (4) neigh
-

7. They're too busy trying to _____ me up and toss the key.
- (1) champion
 - (2) neurology
 - (3) lock
 - (4) executive
-

8. It's impossible to _____ the importance of this discovery.
- (1) exaggerate
 - (2) portable
 - (3) peasant
 - (4) enlist
-

B. Find the word that means the same or closest in meaning

1. exclaim
- (1) plan
 - (2) alien
 - (3) yell
 - (4) dissect
-

2. privation
- (1) deprivation
 - (2) filth
 - (3) odd
 - (4) luggage
-

3. ostracize
- (1) devote
 - (2) seeds
 - (3) despite
 - (4) boycott



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4. shred

- (1) giant
 - (2) fragment
 - (3) report
 - (4) powder
-

5. contort

- (1) lure
 - (2) disfigure
 - (3) second
 - (4) vain
-

6. mollify

- (1) rue
 - (2) direct
 - (3) pacify
 - (4) pick
-

7. probe

- (1) matrix
 - (2) ultimate
 - (3) explore
 - (4) muffle
-

8. convene

- (1) distance
- (2) grim
- (3) steer
- (4) assemble

C. Find the opposite**1. ostensible**

- (1) certainty
- (2) property
- (3) festive
- (4) lend



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2. broad

- (1) extensive
 - (2) limited
 - (3) occupied
 - (4) ideology
-

3. exception

- (1) omission
 - (2) install
 - (3) joke
 - (4) regularity
-

4. intricate

- (1) simple
 - (2) heal
 - (3) herbal
 - (4) metal
-

5. assimilate

- (1) morbid
 - (2) crafty
 - (3) hostel
 - (4) exclude
-

6. probable

- (1) consort
 - (2) unlikely
 - (3) process
 - (4) undisturbed
-

7. grasp

- (1) enclose
- (2) grip
- (3) let go
- (4) mad



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8. unique

(1) rare

(2) pan

(3) common

(4) special

D. Find what doesn't belong

1. deny, cover, proclaim, conceal
2. famous, foreign, known, familiar
3. future, past, old, contemporary
4. shriek, silence, mute, whisper
5. include, exclude, accept, allow
6. comply, agree, retreat, contend
7. loose, surrender, fail, excel
8. execute, maintain, release, acquit

E. Find the correct translation

1. contentious

(1) רצועה

(2) יבשת

(3) צניחה

(4) מודעות

2. toward

(1) לקראת

(2) ייחודי

(3) מחרוזת

(4) הכרחי



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3. introvert

- (1) צעקני
 - (2) צבעוני
 - (3) מיועד
 - (4) מופנם
-

4. homage

- (1) מחווה של כבוד
 - (2) צער עמוק
 - (3) חוסר תקווה
 - (4) הצטיינות יתרה
-

5. associate

- (1) מנהל
 - (2) יוקרתי
 - (3) זר
 - (4) שותף
-

6. ventilate

- (1) לאוורר
 - (2) לירוק
 - (3) להפעיל
 - (4) לשפר
-

7. fortify

- (1) לרצוח
 - (2) לבצר
 - (3) הדרגתי
 - (4) נוסחה
-

8. unleash

- (1) להגניב
- (2) לכווץ
- (3) לשחרר
- (4) לחנוק



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Answer key – Unit 13**A**

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	2	4	1	4	2	3	3	1

B

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	3	1	4	2	2	3	3	4

C

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	1	2	4	1	4	2	3	3

D

1. proclaim
2. foreign
3. contemporary
4. shriek
5. exclude
6. contend
7. excel
8. execute

E

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	2	1	4	1	4	1	2	3



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